

In the Specification

Delete the paragraph beginning on page 7, line 18, and replace it with the following paragraph.

However, by moving the screws 78, 80 from the storage location 82, 84 to one or more of the threaded blocking openings 72, 74 or 76, the operation of these components (latch retract lever, lock/unlock lever and spindle hub) may be blocked. When installed at one of the threaded blocking openings, the screws 78, 80 operate as corresponding "blocking elements" to ~~block~~ prevent certain motions of the associated lever or hub.

Delete the paragraph beginning on page 7, line 24, and replace it with the following paragraph.

~~Fig. 4~~Fig. 4 illustrates the function of the three blocking elements when installed in blocking openings 72, 74, 76 by providing three corresponding detail views "A," "B" and "C" connected by arrows pointing to the associated blocking opening in sidewall 30. When a screw 78, 80 is moved to a threaded blocking opening 72, 74 or 76, the end of the screw projects into the mortise lock through sidewall 30 and interferes with or blocks its associated hub or lever. The end of the screw is referred to as a "blocking element" and is identified by a new reference number below to identify its function.

Delete the paragraph beginning on page 8, line 11, and replace it with the following paragraph.

As can be seen in Fig. 2, markings are provided on the sidewall 30 at locations marked with reference numbers 88, 90, 92 and 94 to indicate the functions that the mortise lock will perform when screws are installed in the corresponding locations. Function numbers are used to identify the functions. Reference number 88 refers to the function number markings "05," "37," "38" and "85." Reference number 90 refers to a second group of function numbers, "13," "36" and "87." Reference number 92 refers to a third group of function numbers, "04," "06," "13," ~~"17"~~and"17" and "31." Reference number 94 refers to a fourth group of function numbers, "17," and "31."